## **CLAIMS**

- 1. A method for enhancing a video image, comprising: inputting a video signal; and shifting hue of the signals to be closer to a secondary color.
- 2. The method of claim 1, including converting the video signal from RGB to HLS.
- 3. The method of claim 2, including converting the input signal to an equivalent HLS space.
  - 4. The method of claim 1, including converting the video signal from RGB to HLS.
- 5. The method of claim 1, including converting the input signal to an equivalent HLS space.
- 6. A method for enhancing a video image, comprising:
  inputting video signals representative of the image; and
  increasing color saturation of the video signals as a function of color saturation and
  proximity of hue of the video signals to a secondary color.
- 7. The method of claim 6, wherein the closer the video signal is in hue to a secondary color, the more its color saturation is increased.
- 8. The method of claim 7, wherein the color saturation of cyan and yellow colors in the input video signal is increased while not color saturation of primary colors is not.
- 9. The method of claim 9, wherein the color saturation of magenta color in the input video signal is increased.

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- 10. A method for enhancing a video image, comprising:
  inputting video signals representative of the image; and
  increasing lightness of the video signals as a function of lightness and proximity of hue of the video signals to a secondary color.
- 11. The method of claim 10, wherein the closer the video signal is in hue to a secondary color, the more its lightness is increased.
- 12. The method of claim 11, wherein the lightness of cyan and yellow colors in the input video signal is increased while not lightness of primary colors is not.
- 13. The method of claim 12, wherein the lightness of magenta color in the input video signal is increased.